

REMARKS

In response to a telephone conference on September 3, 2004 with Examiner Andy Kashnikow, Applicants submit amended claims in the proper Reissue format. Applicants also attach a Submission of Formal Drawings as well as six sheets of formal drawings. As it is believed that all of the rejections set forth in the previous Official Action have been fully met, favorable reconsideration and allowance are earnestly solicited.

In view of the foregoing remarks, the application is believed to be in condition for allowance, and early notice to this effect is earnestly solicited. If allowance of this application may be expedited by resolution of simple issues through a telephone conference, the Examiner is welcome to call the undersigned.

If there are any additional charges in connection with this requested amendment, the Examiner is authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 12-1095 therefor.

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Respectfully submitted,

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